

ARABIC LEVEL 2

حروف جر وظروف مكان

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WHAT DO THEY DO?

ظُرُوفُ مَكَانٍ and حُرُوفُ جَرٍّ are used to signify where things are (amongst other things that حُرُوفُ جَرٍّ are used for). Were we to translate these terms in English, they would both be referred to as “Prepositions.”

الرَّجُلُ فِي الْجَامِعَةِ.

The man is in the university.

WHAT EFFECT DOES IT HAVE ON THE WORD AFTER IT?

When one of these words are used, the noun that comes after it takes a kasrah at the end.

الْكِتَابُ عَلَى الطَّاوِلَةِ.

The book is on the table.

Notice how the word الطَّاوِلَةِ has a kasrah on the end. This is because it came after the preposition عَلَى

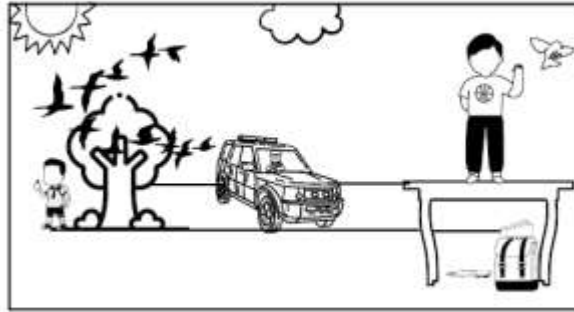


NOTICE

You will go over this in more depth in level 3 Arabic – when you start going over the Madinah book – so don't be worried about the details or differences between them. The most important things to know are what we mentioned here in the slideshow.

LET'S USE WHAT WE KNOW!

EXERCISE 7: Where is it? أين هو؟



Fill in the blanks using the list of words in the box

1. الولدُ _____ الطاولة
2. الحقيبةُ _____ الطاولة
3. الكتابُ _____ الحقيبة
4. القلمُ _____ الطاولة
5. الظنيرُ _____ الطاولة
6. الضابطُ _____ الشجرة
7. العضافيرُ _____ الشجرة
8. الطالبُ _____ الشجرة
9. الشمسُ _____ الشجرة
10. الغيمةُ _____ الشجرة

فَوْقَ (above)	فِي (in)	جَانِبَ (beside)
عَلَى (on)	تَحْتَ (under)	حَوْلَ (around)